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P.O. Box 1631  
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July 15, 2004

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Reference: April Quarterly Report (2/12/04-3/31/04)

Dear Mr. Thompson:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. This notice requests information essential to full public disclosure of your federal election campaign finances. **An adequate response must be received at the Commission by the response date noted above.** An itemization of the information needed follows:

-Schedule B of your report discloses contributions to Obama for Illinois 2000 for the General 2004 election (see attached). The Act precludes an authorized or principle campaign committee from making a contribution to a candidate for a federal election in which they are not a participant. (11 CFR§ §102.12(c) and 102.13(c))

If any apparently excessive contribution in question was incompletely or incorrectly reported, you must amend your original report with the clarifying information.

If the contribution made was excessive, you must notify the recipient committee and request a refund of the entire amount contributed.

If requesting a refund, you also must inform the Commission in writing of such a refund and provide a photocopy of any refund request sent to the recipient committee. The refund must appear on Line 15 of the Detailed Summary Page and on a supporting Schedule A of the report covering the period in which the refund is received.